UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

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442602000110 Attorney Docket No. **Bryan MARTEL** First Inventor POLYMERIC FOAM POWDER PROCESSING TECHNIQUES. FOAM POWDERS PRODUCTS, AND FOAMS PRODUCED

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TRANSMITTAL CONTAINING THOSE FOAM POWDERS (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)) Express Mail Label No. **Box Patent Application APPLICATION ELEMENTS** Commissioner for Patents ADDRESS TO: 2011 South Clark Place See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. Room 1803, Crystal Plaza 2 Arlington, Virginia, 22202 Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) Computer Program (Appendix) Applicant claims small entity status. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission 8 See 37 CFR 1.27. (if applicable, all necessary) Х Specification [Total Pages 69 Computer Readable Form (CRF) (preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the invention b. Specification Sequence Listing on: Cross Reference to Related Applications CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or paper Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table Statements verifying identity of above copies or a computer program listing appendix Background of the Invention Brief Summary of the Invention **ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS** Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) 9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) Detailed Description - Claim(s) 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement 10. Power of Abstract of the Disclosure (when there is an assignee) Attorney X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) (Total Sheets 19 11. English Translation Document (if applicable) Information Disclosure Copies of IDS 5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 12. Х Х Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Newly executed (original or copy) 13 Preliminary Amendment Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. x (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed) (Should be specifically itemized) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) 15. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)** (if foreign priority is claimed) Signed statement attached deleting Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). inventor(s) named in the prior application, 16. see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent 17. Other: 6. X Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Continuation | X | Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/748<u>,307</u> Prior application information: Examiner John M. Cooney Group / Art Unit: For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts. 19. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS 25227 X Customer Number or Bar Code Label Correspondence address below Rai S. Davé Name 1650 Tysons Boulevard, Suite 300 Address City McLean Zip Code 22102 Country Telephone (703) 760-7755 (703) 760-7777 Name (Print/Type) Raj S **D**avé Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 42,465 Signature November 3, 2003 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being hand delivered to: Commissioner for Patents, 2011 South Clark Place, Room 1B03, Crystal Plaza 2, Arlington, Virginia, 22202, or the date shown below.

PTO/SB/17 (01-03) Approved for use through 04/30/2003. OMB 0651-0032 Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Compl t if Known FEE TRANSMITTAL 09/748,307 Prior Application Number for FY 2003 Prior Filing Date December 21, 2000 First Named Inventor **Bryan MARTEL** Patent fees are subject to annual revision. Prior Examiner Name J. Cooney Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1,27 1711 Prior Group Art Unit TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 1418.00 Attorney Docket No. 442602000110 METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) FEE CALCULATION (continued) Money Check 3. ADDITIONAL FEES Other None x Deposit Account Large Entity Small Entity Deposit Account 03-1952 Fee Fee Description Number Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid Deposit Account 1051 130 2051 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath Morrison & Foerster LLP Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover 1052 50 2052 25 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) sheet. X Charge fee(s) indicated below X Credit any overpayments 1053 130 1053 130 Non-English specification Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this Х 1812 2,520 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination 1812 Requesting publication of SIR prior to Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filling fee 1804 920 1804 920* Examiner action Requesting publication of SIR after to the above-identified deposit account. 1805 1.840 1805 1.840° Examiner action FEE CALCULATION 2251 1251 110 55 Extension for reply within first month 1. BASIC FILING FEE 1252 2252 410 205 Extension for reply within second month Large Entity Small Entity 1253 930 2253 465 Extension for reply within third month Fee Fee Fee Description 1254 1,450 2254 Extension for reply within fourth month Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid 1001 750 2001 375 Utility filing fee 1,970 1255 2255 770.00 985 Extension for reply within fifth month 1002 330 2002 165 Design filing fee 1401 320 2401 160 Notice of Appeal 1003 520 2003 260 Plant filing fee 1402 320 2402 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal 1004 750 2004 Reissue filing fee 1403 280 2403 140 Request for oral hearing 1005 160 2005 Provisional filing fee 1451 1,510 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding 1451 1452 110 2452 Petition to revive - unavoidable SUBTOTAL (1) 770.00 1453 1,300 650 Petition to revive - unintentional 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE 1501 1,300 2501 650 Utility issue fee (or reissue) Extra 1502 470 2502 235 Design issue fee Fee Paid Claims below Total Claims 56 -20** = 36 648.00 1503 630 2503 315 Plant issue fee Independent -3** **=** 1460 130 1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner 3 0.00 Multiple Dependent 1807 50 1807 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) 1806 180 1806 Large Entity Small Entity 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt Recording each patent assignment per Fee Description 8021 40 8021 40 Code (\$) (\$) Code property (times number of properties) Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) 1202 18 2202 Claims in excess of 20 1809 750 2809 375 2201 1201 84 42 Independent claims in excess of 3 For each additional invention to be examined (37CFR 1.129(b)) 1810 750 2810 375 1203 280 2203 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 1204 84 2204 42 Reissue independent claims 750 2801 1801 375 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) over original patent Request for expedited examination 1802 900 1205 18 2205 Reissue claims in excess of 20 of a design application and over original patent Other fee (specify) SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) *Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 0.00 **or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above SUBMITTED BY Complete (if applicable) Name (Print/Type) Raj S. Davé Registration No. 42,465 Telephone 703-760-7755 Attorney/Agent) Signature Date November 3, 2003